

# *Executive Proclamation*

## *State of South Dakota Office of the Governor*

*Whereas*, Jordyn Gullickson, is the 9-month-old daughter of Darin and Sherry Gullickson of Lake Preston, South Dakota; and,

*Whereas*, Jordyn and her parents spent nearly 2 months at the University of Michigan's C.S. Mott Children's Hospital under the care of Dr. Ed Bove, a world renowned pediatric cardiologist; and,

*Whereas*, Jordyn has had three heart surgeries, two heart catheterizations, and had a heart transplant on February 9, 2003; and,

*Whereas*, The unwavering support of family, friends and strangers from around the world, have provided faith, fellowship, and prayers for this little girl who simply has a will to live; and,


*Whereas*, This little girl is proof that miracles do happen:

*Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds*, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 14, 2003, as

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in South Dakota, and I join her family and friends in wishing her good health and happiness.

*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Tenth Day of April in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Three.

  
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M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

  
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Chris Nelson, Secretary of State

